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TITLE OF INVENTION: NUCLEIC ACID MOLECULES ENCODING NOVEL BACILUS THURINGIENSIS CRY2AE INSECTICIDAL PROTEINS, PLANT CELLS, PLANT OR SEEDS COMPRISING THE NUCLEIC ACID MOLECULES AND METHODS OF USING SAME

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